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LB 101, 187

CLERK: 39 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of Senator Baker's amendment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The motion was successful; the amendment has been adopted.

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Senator Mossey, for a motion.

SENATOR MOSSEY: Mr. President, I move the advancement of LB 187 to E & R for engrossing.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The motion is to advance LB 187 to E & R for engrossing. All in favor of the motion say aye. Against the motion say nay. It is advanced. I do raise the call. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, the next bill, LB 101, a bill by Senator Baker. It's a bill for an act relating to...oh, I'm sorry. We're on Select File. I have no E & R's. Senator Beutler would move to amend, AM0372. (Legislative Journal page 565.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Beutler, open on your amendment, AM0372, to LB 101.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Baker, I'm trying to recall. This catches me by surprise, but this is the one we agreed to previously, is it not? Okay. Members of the Legislature, there's a portion of this bill that has to do with telephone conferencing and it had peculiar language and didn't reference back to those sections of the statute that have to do with open meetings and open meetings laws. And the open meetings law section of the statutes deals with telephone conferencing and so all the amendment does is to insert that reference back to the open meetings law so that this telephone conferencing that's envisioned in this bill will take place exactly like all other telephone conferencing that takes place under our open meetings law. Thank you.